

The Pocahontas Times

Dear, Land o' Cakes and brother Scots, Erse Maiden Kirk to Johnny Groets, If there's a hole in a year's coats, I red's ya tent it; A chiel's amang you takin' notes, An' faith he'll prent it. -BURRS

Local Events

Miss Emma Warwick returned from Fayette County last Monday.

The close season for catching trout commences September 1, 1898.

For mathematicians: Write eleven thousand, eleven hundred and eleven.

C. O. Arbogast lost a fine horse last week which he had just given a hundred dollars for.

Dr Ligon has recovered his horse. It seems that the horse stole away instead of being stolen.

W. W. Tyree is running a poultry wagon daily, and will call on every body for spring chickens.

Napoleon Perry was moved to Frankford in a bed in a wagon. His spine was greatly injured a short time since.

Parley Noel, formerly of Dunmore and Miss Ada Williams, of Ronceverte, eloped to Ohio and were married.

Gay & Gay, photographers, will remain in Marlinton until September 5 only. They will be in Dunmore after that date.

The County Court meets in special term next Saturday to consider the best means to repair roads damaged by recent rains.

E. T. G. Wilson and Mr Bromley, of London, are visiting the former's brother, J. H. G. Wilson. Mr Wilson is a well known lawyer of London.

There will be a Sunday School celebration next Sunday, September 4, commencing at 1 P. M., at Indian Draft. Every one is invited to be present.

W. B. Johnson secured the contract for putting in the telephone poles for the Beverly and Marlinton Telephone Company, between Marlinton and Huntersville.

We learn from the Greenbrier papers that an elephant belonging to a show tramped to death an employee of the show company, who was sleeping in the elephant's tent.

An extension 356 feet long is being built to the Homestead at the Hot Springs. It will be five stories high and contain over two hundred rooms besides the bath rooms.

Smith & Whiting will construct the telephone line between Ronceverte and Marlinton. They are setting poles 24 feet long and six inches across at the top end. They put a cross bar on the poles for a second wire.

Old Major, J. H. G. Wilson's body guard, died last Sunday morning of a complication of diseases, superinduced by old age. He was a famous deer hound which had survived the dangers attending dog life for many years, and he was a very well known dog. His owner had had him for over six years.

A good deal of money has been spent on the Elk road the past few years, and the late heavy rains have started ruts and washes which if not promptly checked will cause much damage. It is thought that small appropriation by the County Court at this time would be wise economy.

There will be a convention of the Republican voters of Huntersville District held at Frost on the 17th day of September, 1898, at 2 o'clock, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the office of president of the Board of Education in said district. Let every voter attend. N. O. McNEEL, Chairman Republican Executive Committee.

The Pocahontas Telephone Company expects to have its line completed to Ronceverte by October 1. The contractors are busy putting in poles now. The different contractors are H. A. Yeager, from Marlinton to top of Swago mountain; Jake Simmons to Academy; Frank Harper to the top of Droop; H. N. Hanna to the top of Spring Creek Mountain; Tyree & White to Frankford; Tom Shields to Lewisburg.

Silas Mason has introduced a new plan of threshing in Greenbrier, which is well liked by the farmers. He purchased a large thrasher and engine and sent out a complete crew of men. They thresh the grain, crib it, and stack the straw with out any assistance from the farmer, and charge ten bushels on the hundred. They board and lodge in tents. One day they threshed 1000 bushels of oats and 800 bushels of wheat.

William Colley has been bound over to keep the peace. His being shot has not improved his temper which was always bad. Harvey Petts made complaint of threats, and Justice Bird went down to Mill Point. Colley produced bondsmen, Old man Webster, Frank Thomson, Ed Lange and McComb and kept out of jail. Being bound over made him still worse, and the bondsmen hearing of some additional big talk of warlike measures on the part of Colley, are now seeking to be released.

William Colley in Jail.

William Colley was up before Squire Bird on a peace warrant and was bound over to keep the peace for one year in the sum of \$50. He got a set of bondsmen who lasted over Sunday, but who decided to hearken unto Solomon, who says, "A man void of understanding striketh hands and becometh surety in the presence of his friends," and they delivered him to the justice and were released.

Constable Wooddell brought him up Tuesday, and the case was involved in a maze of legal difficulties, the authorities being divided in the opinion as to whether his bondsmen could be released. The saries complained that Colley threatened to become violent. It was suggested that they get out an injunction against him. The county finally accepted him and if he gets no other bond he will cool his heels in jail for a year.

Harvey Petts, who swore out the peace warrant, has decamped. Colley fell out with the gang and was prepared to indict a dozen or so. He swore that Milam and Petts had killed a sheep for Henry McClure and Squire Curry issued a warrant for Petts and Milam; the latter is now in jail. Petts could not be found.

Colley says that there was a regularly organized band for the purpose of robbery, and is prepared to make a large and healthy lot of indictments.

From the Engineer's Camp.

EDITOR TIMES: I have been working on the engineer's corp's since the April 10. We ran from Marlinton to Caldwell, 54 miles, and are now on the way back locating the road. We are now at Bird's Mill, owned by Mr Walkup. We have had a nice trip—no sickness or accidents, with the exception of getting into yellow jackets' and hornets' nests.

I had the liveliest time of my life the other day with a big hornet's nest, and when my friends overtook me there were three still sitting on my back stinging. Noticing an article in your paper concerning the capture of a big bass at the mouth of Knapp's Creek, by yourself, I write to say that we can top yours. Grant Johnson and myself went fishing with a 25 cent rod and 5 cent line. We had caught four or five, and I was standing some distance from Johnson, when I heard a fuss and Johnson yelled, "For the land's sake, come here, Siple!"

When I reached him the bass had gone under a rock, but by good management he was landed and brought to the tent. It weighed 4 pounds and measured 20 inches. It was the biggest I ever saw out of the water. The fish is fine down the river.

I think we will reach Marlinton by the middle of October. BIXBEE.

John C. Warwick.

John C. Warwick died at his home at MacDonald, Fayette county, aged about thirty years. At the time of his death he was in the employ of the Turkey Knob Coal Company as its buyer and seller. He leaves surviving him his wife, who was Miss Maybelle Feamster, and a little son named George. John Craig Warwick was born at Clover Lick, which estate his father owned at that time. A good portion of his life was passed at the farm on Stony Creek near Marlinton. He was educated at the Fishburn school, at Waynesboro. After leaving school he was engaged for several years in business in Ronceverte, and then moved to Hinton where he had a large clothing store. Afterwards he went into the coal fields of Fayette.

He was a born gentleman, and no one ever came in reach of his strong personality but was won by his geniality and loved and admired him. His life was full of promise and he had a host of friends. His sister Miss Emma Warwick, who was more than a mother to him, was with him at his death. Within the past five years this devoted family has buried five of its members. The father, mother, sister, and two brothers.

Ben Davis.

They used to tell a tale on Ben Davis that was something like this: Before every important engagement General Lee would come galloping along and halting near the regiment would ask, "Is Private Ben Davis in the ranks?" "He is." "Then let the fight begin!"

Notice.

I have on my place one sow of the following description, the owner of which may recover property by identifying and paying costs of keeping and advertising: Color, black; marked, crop off left ear, notch in right—supposed to be intended for half crop; four white feet; small spot in forehead. JOHN A. WARWICK.

Last Notice.

Persons knowing themselves indebted to me may come and make satisfactory arrangements for payment, as after the 15th day of September, 1898, I will put all my paper in hands of my lawyer. August 30, 1898. JAMES A. LARUE.

DUNMORE.

Sid has gone to Elk for blackberries.

C. O. Arbogast lost a fine horse last week.

Sol Davis' family left Sunday for Baltimore.

Luther Campbell thinks the war is over—it's a girl!

The machinery will be in soon for the Dunmore mill.

Big Dick has gone to Monterey to see his Betsy Jane.

Rev Boggs is doing carpenter work at Dunmore at this time.

Rev. C. M. Caldwell left today for Presbytery at Richlands, W. Va.

P. D. Arbogast leaves this week for Charlottesville to study medicine.

Rev R. M. Caldwell and Miss Ella Pritchard papered the church at Dunmore last week, and they did a fine job.

Another streak of prosperity struck our town, when that man brought in a dozen eggs and a half dozen live chickens.

We believe that Rev J. C. Given preached the ablest sermon last Sunday at Knapp's Creek ever preached in Pocahontas.

Fine weather and the farmers are making good use of it plowing, thrashing and finishing making hay, picking blackberries, etc.

The road between Dunmore and Green Bank is in bad shape for night traveling. Highland County has her roads in the best shape we have ever seen them.

Mr Rush is rushing the mail between Huntersville and Dunmore. We will be glad when the mail will go from Marlinton through in one day. The man that carries the mail on that route for less than \$1,500 a year will come out at the little end of the horn.

All persons interested in the path across the mountain from Dunmore to Randolph Galford's, will meet Saturday, September 17, at Randolph Galford's with axes, saws, cant-hooks, and matooks and clean out the path. It is about impassable since the flood.

The sing at Wanless was largely attended on Sunday last. Good singing and the people well cared for. The people are thinking strongly of building a church at Wanless. There will be an all-day sing at Oak Grove church on Sunday, September 4, 1898. All lovers of music are invited to come bring your books and stay all day. There will be two addresses made during the day on song. The leaders will be Professors Ruckman, Arbogast, Slavin, Cooper, Oliver, Swecker, Moore, Busard and others. NIMROD SHIFFER.

Notice.

Some times house building is a necessity. It takes money to build house; so all parties indebted to me will please come in settle. Pay part if not all and we will start new accounts. Yours truly, F. T. McCLINTIC, M. D. Academy, W. Va.

Not the Wecest Plan.

It is not always best to wait until it is needed before buying a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera, and Diarrhoea Remedy. Quite frequently the remedy is required in the very busiest season or in the night and much inconvenience and suffering must be borne before it can be obtained. It costs but a trifle as compared to its real worth and every family can well afford to keep it in their home. It is everywhere acknowledged to be the most successful remedy in the world for bowel complaints. For sale by A. Barlow, Huntersville; Barlow and Moore, Edray.

Trustee's Sale.

By virtue of a d-e-d of trust made by E. I. Holt and Lucie Holt his wife on the 31 day of February, 1893, to M. J. McNeel Trustee, and recorded in the clerk's office of the County Court of Pocahontas county, in Deed Book No. 23, at page 479, to secure S. H. Clark, A. M. Edgar, and William L. McNeel in the payment of two Negotiable Notes of \$2500.00 each, dated on the 31 day of February, 1893, and payable four months after date at the Bank of Lewisburg, and default having been made in the payment of said notes, and the said S. H. Clark, A. M. Edgar, and William L. McNeel having paid said notes, and having requested me to advertise and sell the property conveyed to me as trustee, I will, as such trustee, on

Saturday, September 17, 1898, on the premises (as hereinafter described) sell at public auction to the highest bidder one certain lot of land containing about One Acre situated in Pocahontas County, W. Virginia, in the town of Hillsboro, on Main and Nicholas Streets, the same lot on which E. I. Holt now resides, and purchased by him from Lizzie Lightner. There is upon said lot a fine dwelling house, store house, and all necessary outbuildings.

Terms of Sale.

One-third of the purchase money cash in hand, the residue upon credit of one and two years respectively, the purchaser giving bond bearing interest from date with approved personal security for the deferred payments, the title to be retained as ultimate security. M. J. McNEEL, Trustee.

BUCKEYE.

Henry McNeel was in town last week.

T. C. Wooddell, of Greenbrier, is visiting here.

Miss Laura Overholt, of Frankford, is visiting here.

W. McClintic was in Webster last week on business.

Harry Tomson went to Greenbrier on business last week.

D. T. McNeil is a candidate for the legislature and for matrimony.

Miss Minnie Wade, of Academy, is spending the summer in this part.

Lost, strayed or stolen: A young man with a black mustache. When last seen he was at Mr Beverage's.

A. M. McLaughlin, of Greenbrier, and Boud Hannah, of Frost, passed through town last week.

George Overholt passed through here with his gramophone and magic lantern, and had two good shows.

Henry McClintic, of Texas, and George T. McClintic, of Covington, were visiting Mrs Mary McClintic last week.

Colbert Duncan is the champion fisher. Last Saturday he caught 13 bass that weighed 13 pounds. The largest weighed 3 pounds.

We are glad to see the telephone being built. JOHN WESLEY.

EDRAY.

Clyde W. Moore spent Saturday and Sunday at Mill Point.

Most of the farmers are done thrashing around here.

Rev W. A. Sharp is attending District Conference in Pendleton county.

Mrs Dr Price has been sick for the past week. Also Miss Emma Jordan is quite ill.

Miss Susie Simmons is visiting in this part. She expects to return to Lewisburg soon.

A number of our young men attended the Odd Fellows meeting at Marlinton las, Saturday night.

Children's Day at the Indian Draft next Sunday in the afternoon. All are invited to come. MOUNTAIN DAISY.

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The Levels News.

Edited by Payne Bros.

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Market Report, Sept. 2, 1898.
—Eggs 10c per dozen.
—Butter 12c per pound.
—Lard 7c per lb.
—Flour \$2.50 per cwt.
—Oats 30c per bushel.
—Tallow 6c pound.
—Corn 50 to 75c per bushel.
—Wheat 80c per bushel.
—Ginseng dry \$3 per lb.
Hams 12c, Sides 10c, Shoulders, 10c per lb.
—At PAYNE BROS.
—Floor oil cloth at Payne Bros.
—Cvrtain poles, doors and sash at Payne Bros.
—Send your orders to Payne Bros for Simothy seed.
—Mr Adam Post was here one day last week looking after cattle.
—Quite a number of teams started to the railroad for fertilizer this week.
—Patent 3 and 6 gallon oil cans to fill your lamps without spilling any oil, at Payne Bros.
—Miss Otie Cackley and brother came up from Ronceverte Tuesday and stopped with R. W. Hill.
—Mrs S. J. Payne is very much better, and it is hoped will be able to be out again soon.
—Allen Livesey, Esq., and wife from Marlinton, passed through town Monday on their way to Greenbrier county on a visit.

Commissioner's Sale.

Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas county, West Virginia, rendered at the October Term, 1898, in the chancery cause of Amos Barlow vs. H. P. McLaughlin and others, the undersigned Special Commissioner will on

Tuesday, October 4 1898,

at the front door of the courthouse of Pocahontas county, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, the following described tracts or parcels of land, to wit:

A tract of fifty acres of land situated on Brown's Creek in Pocahontas county, West Virginia, purchased by the defendant H. P. McLaughlin of W. P. Hogsett, by deed dated January 18, 1884.

A tract of acres of land conveyed to the said H. P. McLaughlin by John Osborne, Special Commissioner, by deed dated October 23, 1883, sold in the chancery suit of William Kelley's Administrator vs William Kelley's Heirs, situated on Brown's Creek, in Pocahontas County, West Virginia.

Said tracts comprise valuable farming and timber lands; and are now occupied by said H. P. McLaughlin.

Terms of Sale: So much cash in hand as will pay the costs of suit and expenses of sale, and for the residue the purchaser shall execute bonds with good and sufficient security, falling due in six and twelve months from day of sale and a lien shall be reserved as ultimate security.

H. S. RUCKER, Special Commissioner.

I, J. H. Patterson, clerk of the circuit court of Pocahontas county, do certify that the above named special commissioner has given bond as required by said decree.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

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W. W. Tyree's MARLINTON, W. VA.

LEADER IN LOW PRICES.

By the way, if you want to know what good spring chickens will bring you call on Thos. Aldridge, a good reliable citizen of Edray, W. Va., and he will tell you that he sold W. W. Tyree one dozen that brought \$3.53 on foot.

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